THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (PROF. SAIF-UD-DIN SOZ): (a) and (b) Irrigation is a State subject and the planning, execution, funding, operation and maintenance of Irrigation projects are primarily the responsibility of the State Governments based on their priorities. The Union Government has not proposed to take up Water Resource Project in Tamil Nadu. However, under the Pilot Scheme "National Project for repair, renovation and restoration of water bodies directly linked to Agriculture", two district projects namely Sivgangai and Villupuram were approved in 2004-05 and Central share of Rs. 3.97 crore has been released during 2005-06 to the Government of Tamil Nadu. The balance amount of the Central share will be released to the State Government based on the utilization certificate furnished by the State Government.

Completion of Irrigation Projects in Andhra Pradesh

3322. SHRI NANDI YELLAIAH: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the progress made on various fast track irrigation projects introduced in the year 2002 particularly in Andhra Pradesh for completing selected projects within one yar;

(b) whether the work on these projects is conforming to the time-schedule;

(c) if so, the details in this regard; project-wise; and

(d) if not, the reasons for delay in completion of these projects?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (PROF. SAIF-UD-DIN SOZ): (a) to (d) A total of 42 major and medium irrigation projects/projects components including 10 in Andhra Pradesh have been provided Central Loan Assistance/Grant under Fast Track Programme of Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme since 2001-02 to 2005-06. Out of these 16 have already been completed upto 2005-06. The remaining are ongoing. The details of the projects are given in the enclosed statement. (*See* below). The important reasons for delay in completion of the projects are inadequate provision of funds in State Budget, delay in transfer of funds to the executing agencies and delay in land acquisition along the Canals.

Statement

Details of Irrigation Projects in Andhra Pradesh

A-Completed Projects

1. Projects Completed on Schedule

Sl. No.	Project Name/State	Year of Entry	Year of Completion
1.	Cheyyeru (Annamaya) (Andhra Pradesh)	2001-02	2003-04
2.	Maskinallah (Karnataka)	2002-03	2003-04
3.	Kadvi (Maharashtra)	2002-03	2004-05
4.	Kasari (Maharashtra)	2002-03	2004-05
5.	Kasarsai (Maharashra)	2002-03	2004-05
6.	Jawalgaon (Maharashtra)	2002-03	2004-05
7.	Khadakwasla (Maharashtra)	2002-03	2004-05
8.	Improvement to Sason Canal System (Orissa)	2002-03	2004-05
9.	Improvement to Salki Irrigation (Orissa)	2003-04	2004-05
10.	Chhapi (Rajasthan)	2002-03	2004-05
11	Panchana (Rajasthan)	2002-03	2004-05
12.	Upper Ganga Canal including Madhya Ganga Canal (Uttar Pradesh)	2001-02	2003-04

2. Projects Completed after due date

Sl. No.	Project/State	Year of Entry	Scheduled year of completion	Year of Completion
1.	Sriramsagar St. I (Andhra Pradesh)	2001-02	2003-04	2005-06

2. Madduvalasa (Andhra Pradesh)	2001-02	2003-04	2005-06
3. Nagarjunasar (Andhra Pradesh)	2001-02	2003-04	2005-06
4. Potteru (KBK) (Orissa)	2001-02	2003-04	2004-05

B-Ongoing Projects

1. Projects on Schedule

Sl. No.	Project/State	Year of Entry	Scheduled Year of Completion
1.	Gundlakdamma (Andhra Pradesh)	2005-06	2007-08
2.	Tarakarama thirtha Sagaram (Andhra Pradesh)	2005-06	2007-08
3.	Swarnamukhi (Andhra Pradesh)	2005-06	2007-08
4.	Palemvagu (Andhra Pradesh)	2005-06	2007-08
5.	Thotapally Barrage (Andhra Pradesh)	2005-06	2007-08
6.	Patgoan (Maharashtra)	2004-05	2006-07
7.	Shivna Takli (Maharashtra)	2005-06	2007-08
8.	Madan Tank (Maharashtra)	2005-06	2007-08
9.	Dongargaon (Maharashtra)	2005-06	2007-08
10.	Amravati (Maharashtra)	2005-06	2007-08
11.	Gul (Maharashtra)	2005-06	2007-08
12.	Remodelling of UBDC (Punjab)	2005-06	2007-08
13.	Kandi Canal Extension (Ph.II) (Punjab)	2005-06	2007-08

2. Projects likely to be delayed by One Year

Sl. No.	Project/State	Year of Entry	Scheduled Year of Completion
1.	Mod. of Gang Canal (Rajasthan)	2003-04	2005-06

3. Projects likely to be delayed by Two Years

Sl. No.	Project/State	Year of Entry	Scheduled Year of Completion
1.	Hasdeo Bango(Ph.-III) (Chhattisgarh)	2002-03	2004-05
2.	Barnai (Chhattisgarh)	2002-03	2004-05
3.	Hirehalla (Karnataka)	2002-03	2004-05
4.	Karanja (Karnataka)	2002-03	2004-05
5.	Kumbhi (Maharashtra)	2002-03	2004-05
6.	Salandi Left Main Canal-Ambahata (Orissa)	2002-03	2004-05

4. Projects likely to be delayed by Three Years

Sl. No.	Project/State	Year of Entry	Scheduled Year of Completion
1.	Somasila (Andhra Pradesh)	2001-02	2003-04
2.	Sardar Sarovar (Gujarat)	2001-02	2003-04
3.	Bargi Diversion (Madhya Pradesh)	2001-02	2003-04
4.	Rengali (Orissa)	2001-02	2003-04
5.	Subernarekha (Orissa)	2001-02	2003-04
6.	Naraj Barrage (Orissa)	2001-02	2003-04

World Bank assistance for irrigation projects to Orissa

†3323. MS. SUSHILA TIRIYA: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the number of major irrigation projects in the State of Orissa for which World Bank has provided assistance;

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.